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Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Re: Applicant: Lukas P.P.P. van Ginneken
 Title: Timing Closure Methodology
 Application No.: 10/828,547 Filing Date: April 19, 2004
 Examiner: Siek, Vuthe Group Art Unit: 2825
 Docket No.: MDAI.001US3 Conf. No.: 3884

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard;
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);
- (3) Petition to Suspend Action (2 pages);
- (4) Attachment 1 – Third Amended Complaint (37 pages); and
- (5) Attachment 2 – Defendant Magma Design Automation, Inc.'s Answer to Plaintiff Synopsys, Inc.'s Third Amended Complaint and Counter Claims (28 pages).

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Respectfully submitted,

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